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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Gu et al. ) Group Art Unit 1645  
Appl. No. : 09/610,034 )  
Filed : July 5, 2000 )  
For : LIPOOLIGOSACCHARIDE BASED )  
VACCINES FOR PREVENTION OF )  
MORAXELLA (BRANHAMELLA) )  
CATARRHALIS INFECTIONS IN )  
HUMANS )

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 1-10 (except cancel Claim 5 as being objected to), cancel Claims 11-34 as being withdrawn from consideration due to a restriction requirement, and cancel Claims 35-38 as being "use" claims written solely for foreign prosecution purposes, all without prejudice, and add Claim 39-47. The specific changes to the amended claims are shown on a separate set of pages attached hereto and entitled VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE, which follows the signature page of this Amendment. On this set of pages, the insertions are double underlined while the ~~deletions are struck through~~. A clean version of the entire set of pending claims is attached as a separate set of pages and entitled CLEAN VERSION OF THE ENTIRE SET OF PENDING CLAIMS.